

The use of all artificial sweeteners, particularly cyclamates, is banned. However, saccharin and similar substances used in light beverages for diabetics and others requiring low calorie diets are permitted entry, provided they carry labels in both Arabic and a foreign language stating that the products are calorie free.

Shipping Documents

(a) Commercial Invoice

Five copies are required, three of which must be certified by a Chamber of Commerce as to current export prices and two copies must be legalized by a Saudi Consular Office in Canada or by a Chamber of Commerce. At least three additional copies of the commercial invoice are required in Arabic, which can be provided by the Saudi importer.

(b) Certificate of Origin

Five copies are required, certified by a Chamber of Commerce and legalized by a Saudi Consular office, with each retaining a copy. A copy of the commercial invoice must be attached to each copy of the certificate of origin.

(c) Packing List

This list must accompany the bill of lading, giving accurate details as to the contents of each case or container, the gross and net weights in metric, and C.I.F. value.

(d) Bill of Lading

One copy is required per shipment. Information on the bill of lading should correspond to that on the commercial invoice, with the consignee's name and address in Arabic, if possible. The bill